ARKANSAS SUPREME COURT

No. CR 08-774

JOSEPH H. BELL Appellant

v.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
Appellee

Opinion Delivered November 6, 2008

PRO SE MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE APPELLANT'S BRIEF [CIRCUIT COURT OF GREENE COUNTY, CR 2004-246, HON. DAVID N. LASER, JUDGE]

MOTION GRANTED.

PER CURIAM

Following a bench trial, appellant Joseph H. Bell was found guilty of rape and sentenced to twenty years' imprisonment. The Arkansas Court of Appeals affirmed. *Bell v. State*, CACR 05-1345 (Ark. App. Jan. 17, 2007). Appellant timely filed in the trial court a pro se petition for postconviction relief under Ark. R. Crim. P. 37.1. The petition was denied after a hearing and appellant has lodged an appeal of that order in this court. Appellant filed this motion in which he requests additional time to file his brief. Since filing the motion, appellant has tendered a brief.

As appellant has tendered his brief, we grant the motion for extension of time. Our clerk is directed to file the brief as of the date of this opinion.

Motion granted.